

## Millinery Opening!

Our  
**Millinery Opening**  
Will be pulled off  
**Wednesday, October 3rd,**

Should you need a winter lid, and we are sure you will, it will pay you to attend this opening.

Everybody invited to attend whether you want a hat or not. We will try to make it as attractive and pleasant as well as interesting for you as possible.

Styles this season are more beautiful than ever and prices to suit all. Attend our opening and we will show you not only the most attractive line of Millinery, but also the largest and best selected line of Dry Goods and Clothing in Chickasha. Thanking you in advance, we are, "for good quality at low prices,"

Yours truly

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The Express is constantly getting letters of inquiry about this country, and asking all kinds of questions, as "Will you kindly inform me if there is any Indian lands to be leased cheap for stock raising, or any other land."

Another asks about mining. Another wants to know about town property, titles, etc. The questions are pretty tough, and we were unable to answer, but we answered so far as able.

Grazing lands may be had here at reasonable terms. The grasses are the finest that grow, being mostly mesquite and gramma, upon which stock subsist the year round, without other feed, although it is always provident to supply feed for extraordinary weather, and extreme cases.

Land can not be bought here at any price, but can be leased for farming at about the same rates demanded in the states, one-third of the crop, or a case rent \$2 to \$3 per acre. The reason no land can be bought is that the whole of the Chickasaw nation land belongs to the tribe of Indians in common, and cannot be sold at any price. This condition will be overcome in a few years. The land will be divided among the Indians and then they will be allowed to sell a portion of it, and after a time to sell another portion, and so on until all can be sold except 160 acres each which can't be sold until after 21 years.

In the Kiowa and Comanche reservation no lands can be bought, but these lands are now being allotted to the Indians, and the remainder, after the Indians get their portion will be open for white settlement. This will probably be secured by running for it as in Oklahoma. There will be at out, 2,000,000 acres of this land. This will require a five years residence on it to secure a title. A good deal of this land is now leased by the Indians to farmers and the remainder is leased as grazing lands by the government, but neither will probably lease again until after the opening, which will come early in next year.

### NOTICE.

To the Fruit Growers of the Indian Territory.

No more important question today for those establishing homes in the Indian Territory to decide is the fruit question. Horticulture has not been a very interesting subject to many people, and now they are at a loss to know how to buy, or what to buy, or who to buy from. It is of vital importance to buy good trees, stock that is propagated to bear fruit, and not merely to sell. It is not possible to detect all the defects in worthless trees until they either bear fruit, or refuse to bear at all, then it is a costly experiment if a failure, and it takes so long to correct it. You can be morally certain of the quality of your fruit if you buy them from men who have established a reputation in the horticultural world, for he must suffer only in greater degree if you suffer if he sells you worthless trees.

The time is past when scientific horticulturist remain in obscurity. Obscure nursery men and tree dealers have imposed upon the credulity of the people, and sold them worthless stuff at exorbitant prices, until many think there are no honest nurserymen or salesmen. The well informed do not think so and are better prepared to protect themselves. It is not the fact that you have bought your trees or paid high prices for them, or what was told you by the man who sold them to you, nor how many times he promised to replace them for you if they did not prove the value of the tree, but it is the fruit they bear. Good fruit can only be grown on good trees. It is a laudable ambition expressed by every buyer of trees, that he wants the best for his own family use.

Now, if he wants the best he can get the best. How? Buy from men that you know to be reliable and competent to select such varieties as are adapted to your soil and climate and purposes. If you want a market orchard you need a different variety of fruits from what you would want for family use. If you are buying from competent parties who are honest and have reputation for fair dealings, then ask them to assist in the selection, or send your order through the salesman to the nursery man who has grown the trees you want, and state whether you want it for family purposes or for the market.

The scientific horticulturist delights in nothing more than to have opportunity to send his own selections to buyers and protects the interest of both and advertises his stock, and makes a permanent customer.

F. T. Ramsey, the proprietor of the Austin Nursery, at Austin, Tex., and president of the State Horticultural Society, of the state of Texas,

has a national reputation as a scientific horticulturist. He has taken more first premiums at the Dallas State Fairs, and other fruit fairs in Texas than any other man in the state. He has more medals, premiums and diplomas for his special and collective exhibits than any other man in the state, and has been prominent in horticultural circles all the way up the ladder to its topmost round. His nursery stock goes in car load lots to California and to Connecticut. Horticulturist recognize the value of a well propagated southern tree on account of being well grown at a year old, and later in bud and bloom when moved to the north, thereby often escaping frost. Mr. Ramsey has fruit every year on his orchard. By scientific cultivation he seems to be independent of the frost by cultivation in winter and summer. He has no borers or insects hatching in his orchards. His well cultivated grounds are cold longer in the spring than his neighbors grounds that wait to be plowed after weeds grow in the spring. The rays of the sun penetrate unbroken land and starts bud and bloom earlier. His selections of peaches and plums and grapes cover the season from June to November and are of the best varieties, he having over 100 varieties of plums, as many varieties of peaches or more, and many of the best varieties of apples adapted to his soil and climate. His stock of ornamental shrubbery is unsurpassed. Evergreens and ornamental shade trees, everything in small fruits, etc. etc.

I am representing Mr. Ramsey in the Indian Territory. Am selling his stock and soliciting orders have orchards already growing from Red River to Anardarka and so far have not heard a word of complaint. I expect to deliver about the 1st of December. Many are postponing orders who have determined to plant his trees to such I would say it is growing late. Give us your orders and get your trees by 1st shipment. Trees can be best grown when planted early in the winter. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. S. BARNHART.

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### Want Column

Lines under this head will be received at the rate of One Cent a line. (Line contains about 7 words) per day. An advertisement received for less than ten cents. May contain any matter of lost, found, strayed, stolen, for sale, to rent, or for any purpose, without display lines.

**FOR SALE—A GOOD YOUNG JERSEY**  
Cow with calf at her side. Inquire at this office.

**BARGAIN.**—Lots 7 and 8, Block 81, two room house, two lots, good shed and well; 3 1/2 inch Mitchell wagon and good team. Must sell at once. G. L. Beicher.

**WANTED TO TRADE—A NEW 1st CLASS**  
single seated phonograph for a two seated one. Inquire at this office.

**WANTED TO BUY—A GOOD MILCH COW**  
Inquire S. T. GLASS at R. I. Depot.

**A SNAP,** if taken at once very cheap, a rooming house. One of the best locations in the city. Eleven rooms, good cistern, storm cave, three lots, shade trees, enquire at Erin House, corner Railroad street and Kansas avenue.

**LOST.**—Ladies gold link bracelet. Finder please return to Saddle Rock restaurant and get reward.

Ladies shoes, just arrived, at all prices.  
21st-1w **McGaughy Bros.**

Sporting goods at the Fair.

**Don't Sling mud.**  
Do not lose your head. Talk politics but don't get mad. Then go to E. Howard drug store and get a trial bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup pepsin.

A tiny mouse that seems to have its own way in all it cares to do has taken up quarters in a bulk window on Chestnut street, Philadelphia. The window contains a fine display of traveling bags and dressing cases, and under ordinary circumstances the presence of the little intruder would not be tolerated a minute. But this is not an ordinary mouse. Instead of creating havoc and damage by gnawing holes in the valuable bags and grips this particular mouse does a valuable service to the firm by spending its time in catching the flies that are unwise enough to come within reach. Every evening after the store has been closed and the clerks have gone home a crowd gathers on the pavement outside and watches the little fellow capture the unwary flies. It is a wonderful performance, and so quick of movement and keen of eye is the mouse that a fly rarely escapes that it springs for. The mouse's mode is simple and effective. From a crouching attitude it waits until a fly comes close enough, then it straightens upon its hind legs, the two front paws, like tiny hands, are thrust upward, and the unwary fly is clutched and brought down. After that the mouse eats the fly and then gets ready to catch another.

#### GREEKS WERE AUTHORS.

They Are Said to Have Been the First to Employ Punctuation Marks in Writing.

The art of punctuation was developed gradually from very ancient times. Greek scribes before the Christian era used a wedge-shaped sign (V) to mark a new paragraph. Later a pause in the sense was indicated by a blank space, a point, and sometimes by a slight oblique stroke or an apostrophe. In Latin manuscripts the full points appear first, and are variously placed on a level with the top, middle or bottom of the letters. The invention of the modern system of punctuation has been attributed to Aristophanes, a grammarian of Alexandria. Jerome used signs (commata and cola) in his translation of the Scriptures, while in early English and Irish manuscripts the comma is used, and the final stop is marked by one and sometimes two or more full points. With the advent of printing, punctuation was greatly improved and systematically adopted about the close of the fifteenth century, mainly owing to the Venetian printer, Manutius. It is said that all the stops we now use appear in the "Arcadia," 1557, of Sir Sidney Smith.

**Imitation Leather from Wood.**  
L. Schwarzhuber, of Pulkersdorf, Austria, has discovered a process for the manufacture of a leatherlike substance from wood veneers, applicable for boot soles and other purposes. Starch powder or crushed potatoes are boiled under pressure in an alkali lye. A gelatinous brown, glue-like liquid is obtained, into which the veneers are introduced and steam pressure applied, the process rendering the veneers soft and flexible.

**Pole Defended by Ice.**  
There are 400 miles of icebergs floating in the Arctic Ocean, and all other sorts of arctic obstructions to traverse between the nearest discovery to the pole and the pole itself. Perhaps some means of overcoming these difficulties may present themselves within the next century as science goes on in its progressive way.

**O. J. GRAY,**

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The best selected stock,

The largest stock, and the

**Oldest Dry Goods House in the City.**

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If we can't sell at our Price,  
We will sell at Yours.  
Call and see us, no  
Trouble to Show  
Goods.

**CROSS & CHEANEY.**

**Prompt Delivery**

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We find that they are material aids in making sales, combined with popular prices for superior groceries, we think we have a combination that is hard to beat. Orders called for and delivered.

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A new Rooming and Lodging House, where rooms can be had by the day, the night, the week, or month. Open at all hours, day or night. Prices reasonable. Guests will be made comfortable as possible. Clean Beds, At the same stand, but the same old man.  
**E. Robinson, Manager.**

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**THE NATIONAL FEED STORE**

For Feed of all Kinds and Prompt Delivery  
BAGGAGE to any part of the City.....

**S. P. Ingram,**  
**Manager.**

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**Smoke Fishers Premium 5c Cigar.**  
Home Made, Hand Made, Union Made.  
Try 'em. You will like 'em. They are Quality Goods, and when you smoke 'em you are encouraging a home enterprise.